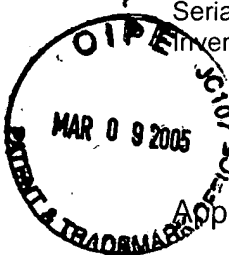


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Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR §1.136 for an extension of three (3) months in which to respond to the Office Action dated September 9, 2004, having a shortened period to respond of three (3) months. Please charge the Extension fee, and any additional fees necessary, for these papers to our deposit account number 04-0500.

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